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10           UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
11           EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
12           FRESNO DIVISION  
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14           In the matter of

15           **Temblor Petroleum**  
16           **Company, LLC**

17           Debtor(s).

18           Case No. 20-11367-A-7F

19           DC No. RTW-2

20           Chapter 7

21           Hearing Date: November 25, 2025

22           Time: 1:30 P.M.

23           Place: 2500 Tulare, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor

24           Dept: A, Courtroom 11

25           Judge: Jennifer E. Niemann

14           FINAL APPLICATION FOR ALLOWANCE OF PROFESSIONAL FEES AND  
15           EXPENSES ACCOUNTANTS FOR TRUSTEE

16           TO THE HONORABLE JENNIFER E. NIEMANN, UNITED STATES  
17           BANKRUPTCY JUDGE:

18           The Application of RATZLAFF, TAMBERI & GILL, LLP,

19           respectfully represents:

20           1. RATZLAFF TAMBERI & GILL, LLP (hereinafter referred to as  
21           "Applicant") is a certified public accountancy firm engaged by  
22           Jeffrey Vetter, Trustee, in the above-captioned bankruptcy estate  
23           and makes this application for final allowance of compensation  
24           and expenses pursuant to Section 330 of the

25           Final Application for Allowance of Professional Fees and Expenses-Accountants for Trustee

1 Bankruptcy Code ("Code") for professional services rendered and  
2 for reimbursement of out-of-pocket expenses necessarily incurred  
3 in advising and assisting the Trustee.

4       2. Applicant was employed by the Trustee to perform  
5 accounting services under section 327 of the Code pursuant to an  
6 approved Order of this Court entered on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of  
7 March, 2022.

8       3. Applicant has rendered accounting services since its  
9 appointment, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2022 and this Application for  
10 Fees and Expenses refers to the period through  
11 September 24, 2025.

12       4. Applicant has received no prior allowance of  
13 compensation or reimbursement of expenses.

14       5. All professional services for which this final  
15 allowance of compensation and expenses requested were performed  
16 by the Applicant for and on behalf of the Chapter 7 estate and  
17 not on behalf of any committee, creditor, or any other person.

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1       6. The reasonable value of the services and expenses  
2 rendered by the Applicant for the period February 28, 2022,  
3 through September 24, 2025, is \$9,934.55. Attached as Exhibit  
4 "A" is the time record for the subject period specifying and  
5 detailing the services and expenses rendered.

6       7. The factors considered in arriving at said fee include  
7 the time and labor required, the novelty and difficulty of the  
8 questions, the skill required to perform these services properly,  
9 the preclusion of other employment, customary fees, and  
10 limitations, the experience, reputation and ability of Applicant,  
11 and awards in similar cases including fees previously allowed by  
12 this Court and other Bankruptcy Courts. Further details on  
13 Applicant's experience, background and specialization are shown  
14 on the Declaration of Christopher A. Ratzlaff, filed concurrently  
15 with this Application.

16       8. The time necessarily and reasonably spent on behalf of  
17 the Trustee and the Chapter 7 estate from February 28, 2022,  
18 through September 24, 2025, was 37.6 hours. The work performed  
19 is more particularly described in the Declaration of Christopher  
20 A. Ratzlaff.

1 WHEREFORE, Applicant prays for an allowance of compensation  
2 to Applicant from the estate for accounting services and expenses  
3 for a total of \$9,934.55 from February 28, 2022, through  
4 September 24, 2025.

5 It is understood that although the fees may be approved by  
6 the Court, that they will not be paid out by the Trustee until  
7 such time as the Trustee determines that there will be enough  
8 funds to pay 100% of all administration claims or until the date  
9 set for hearing of the Trustee's Final Report has passed.  
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11 DATED: 10/07/25

12 RATZLAFF TAMBERI & GILL, LLP

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15 CHRISTOPHER A. RATZLAFF, CPA